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**LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL**  
**NEW PATENT APPLICATION**

Enclosed for filing as a new application for United States Letters Patent in the above-captioned matter are:

- ☒ 1. a copy of the specification containing 27 pages (inclusive of 1 page abstract of the disclosure and 1 page of claims) and containing a description of this invention pursuant to 37 CFR 1.71;
  - ☒ 2. 3 claim(s) for this invention pursuant to 37 CFR 1.75;
  - ☐ 3. a declaration and power of attorney executed by the inventor(s) pursuant to 37 CFR 1.63;
  - ☐ 4. an assignment in favor of CuraGen Corporation of 555 Long Wharf Drive, New Haven, Connecticut 06511 as executed by the inventor(s);
  - ☒ 5. an express mail statement (Receipt No. EU 730811125 US) pursuant to 37 CFR 1.10;
  - ☒ 6. a postal card filing receipt;
  - ☒ 7. 11 sheet(s) of drawings;
  - ☒ 8. the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is authorized to debit Deposit Account No. 502,648 for the total amount necessary to accomplish the filing of this application, together with any charges that become due the United States Patent and Trademark Office during the prosecution of this application.
- This Letter of Transmittal is being submitted in duplicate;

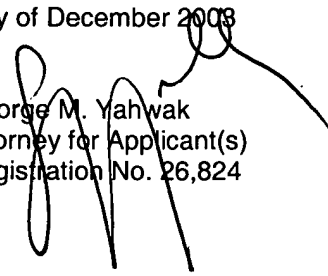
- [ X ] 9. Small entity status is claimed pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27;
- [ X ] 10. All correspondence with respect to the filing of this application should be addressed to:

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Please accord this application a filing date of December 29<sup>th</sup> 2003 in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.10.

Respectfully submitted on this 29<sup>th</sup>

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**EXPRESS MAIL STATEMENT**

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.10, Applicants herewith submit this 29<sup>th</sup> day of December 2003, the following documents to the United States Patent and Trademark Office in support of the filing of this newly-presented application for United States Letters Patent:

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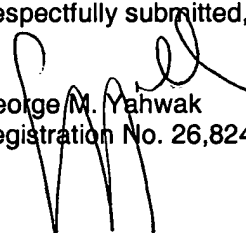
27 page (continuation-in-part) patent application including a 1-page abstract of the disclosure and 1 page containing 3 Claims;

11 sheets of drawings; and

an addressed return receipt postal card.

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.10, Applicants request that they be granted the filing date for this application of December 29<sup>th</sup> 2003.

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